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## Purchase Bulls At Lacombe

A. S. McDougall, Geo. Ballie and W. F. Boszarth attended the bull show and sale at Lacombe on Wednesday, June 3rd, and also took in the field day at the University of Alberta, Edmonton, on June 4th. At Lacombe Mr. McDougall purchased the prize yearling shorthorn bull "Buttercup Dale," regarded as one of the most promising animals ever owned in the province. He was bred by Douglas, of Guelph, Ontario, being sired by Brownsdale Select, while his dam was the imported cow, Buttercup. This cow was also third at the Highland show, Scotland. Buttercup Dale is a grandson of Millhill's Comet, imported to Ontario at a cost of \$33,000. Mr. McDougall also sold the imported bull, "Balsara Beauty's Pride," to Ward Jones, manager of the U.P.R. farm at Strathmore. This bull, coming three years old, was beyond question one of the outstanding bulls at present in the province. Mr. Ballie also purchased a yearling Brownsdale bull, and Mr. Boszarth secured a bull for Mrs. Anderson.

## Colorado Beetles Wintered Well

Potato bugs promise to yield an unusual crop this season to judge by the numbers on hand from the time the potatoes came through the ground. Not only are the potato plants covered with eggs but weeds of many kinds are also carrying deposits of this dangerous fruit.

## Frost Destroyed Small Fruit

James Ellis had berry bushes of almost all kinds in his garden which promised to yield fruit in amazing quantities this year. The lip between the cup and the lip came, however, and the frost caught the bushes in blossom, eliminating any hope of returns this season.

## Will Celebrate Dominion Day

Champion Elks have definitely decided in putting on a celebration on July 1st. The Vulcan band will be in attendance and baseball seams from Vulcan, Carmangay and Staveland will take part in the program.

## Basket Picnic At Pekisko Ranch

A Shorthorn basket picnic will be held at the Prince of Wales' ranch on Saturday, June 27th, when the animals intended for show purposes may be seen. While this is not an annual event this is a repetition of other picnics of the kind.

The intense heat of some of the days this week would incline anyone to close up their business and start for the mountains. This season has been replete so far with eccentricities of this kind.

## Lake Resort Becomes Popular

McGregor Lake, in the vicinity of the lower dam, is proving the summer resort of a big share of the population in the territory surrounding it. On Sunday the lake was lined with people on both sides, while a baseball game in progress had a crowd of spectators in attendance which would have been considered a good showing for the annual sports' day in some of the adjoining towns. Fishing was the principal diversion of the rest of the visitors and everyone seemed to be getting all the fish they wanted.

## Crop Conditions Are Favorable

Showers all over the district during the week have been very welcome, cooling the overheated air and promoting growth of everything. Reports with regard to the crops are optimistic, especially in sections of the district, and a general feeling of satisfaction prevails.

## Everything There But Red Gold

The Fife Lake gold field in Saskatchewan has gone the way of the majority of big gold fields and is now conceded to be a false alarm. A very large number of claims were staked, people coming from considerable distances, when the rush was on.

## Reduce Amount Hail Insurance

Municipal hail insurance has been reduced this year from \$6.00, \$8.00 and \$10.00 per acre to \$4.00, \$5.00 and \$6.00 per acre in amount for which insurance will be issued. The change is in accordance with the decreased value of wheat.

## Postponed Meeting On June 16th

The regular meeting of the Champion Women's Institute which was postponed on account of Chautauque, will be held on Tuesday, June 16th at the home of Mrs. W. A. Sammers, at 2:30 p.m. Mrs. D. Watkins will present the report of the annual convention held at Edmonton recently. Refreshment convener Mrs. Hummel.

## To-night Last of Chautauque

Chautauque has been in progress during the week, and the last performance will occur tonight (Thursday). According to general reports the program of this year have been the best ever offered by this organization. Both weather conditions and hard times seemed to unite at first to deplete the attendance but later sessions have been better attended.

An evergreen tree planted in front of the Savoy Hotel has attracted much attention from natives and tourists, who found it a novelty.

## Is a Wheat Board In Great Demand?

It would be enlightening to know just where the premiers of the three western provinces received the dictum to demand a wheat board to handle the 1931 crop. The only wheat board in evidence in Canada was formed to keep the price of wheat down, and in this respect it was successful. To assume from this that a wheat board is necessary this year does not seem to be a reasonable conclusion. The opinion is widespread among wheat growers that the answer to present governments get and keep their hands off the wheat trade the sooner the present mess will right itself. When it comes to playing politics with the principal industry of the province, it is time to call a halt. There is a disposition to criticize Russian methods but through our governments we will accomplish just about the same thing if the people don't insist on the separation of wheat and politics.

## This Fish Story Wins a Prize

On Sunday Howard Nelson, manager of the Bank of Nova Scotia at Milo, caught a pike 43 inches long, weighing 21 lbs. This is the largest fish caught in Lake McGregor with ordinary fishing tackle on record. The fishing was done from N. M. St. Peter's launch.

With the preserving season in sight many will begin to wonder what they have done with their summer. It did not seem surprising to hear a business man talking about arrangements for his next winter's coal the other day, even if it is early June.

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## Blusson Picnics At McGregor

On Saturday afternoon, June 6th, Blusson community held a picnic at Lake McGregor. The day was ideal and there were games and sports for the men and adults, so that everyone had an enjoyable time. It was so successful that it promises to become an annual event. Close to one hundred people sat down to the lunch prepared by the ladies.

## Recover Coat At Coalhurst

One of coats stolen from the Community hall on the night of the "Battle of Music," has been recovered in Coalhurst and the girl who had it has pleaded guilty to the charge of theft, and is under remand for sentence. It is anticipated the other coat is not far away from the same vicinity.

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Sunday, June 14th.  
11 a.m. Church School.  
11 a.m. Morning Worship at Blusson.  
2:30 p.m. Church School at Sanderson.  
3:15 p.m. Service at Sanderson.  
7:15 p.m.—Song Service.  
7:30 p.m.—Evening Worship. Subject "Abiding in Christ."  
Music by Choir.

The Sam Fong Cafe is coming out in a coat of virgin white with trimmings, and promises to look vastly better after than before. Painter Elliott is doing the work.

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## NOTES AND COMMENT.

In an article in last week's issue, written by Major H. G. L. Strange, head of the research department of the Saskatchewan Grain Company, the statement was made that summerfallow should be cultivated as little as possible if moisture is to be conserved. This is at complete variance with general experience and belief. Constant cultivation will promote the growth of almost any plant, and where this has occurred more moisture has been present than in ground adjoining where less cultivation was done. Why the reverse should be true in regard to summerfallow is beyond comprehension, as a hoe crop, such as corn, could not help but absorb moisture, but the more it is cultivated and hoed the more satisfactory the growth, especially in dry weather.

## Too Much Credit Given In Past Speaker Thinks

The following from an address by John J. Bowlen, M.L.A., to the Kiwanis Club in Calgary as reported in the Alberta contains interesting views with regard to the present state of affairs and will be found convincing on the whole. While many will not agree with Mr. Bowlen at every angle, the soundness of his presentment will generally be conceded:

"A lot has been said about the need for more credit in this country. My own candid opinion is that there has been too much credit given already, and that the farmer today is getting just about as much credit as his business justifies. Who can expect a bank to loan the farmers of this province money to grow a crop which is bound to be a loss, unless something extraordinary takes place very shortly?" Mr. Bowlen declared.

Pointing out that with present prices, farmers could not possibly make a living and pay debts this fall, Mr. Bowlen stated that the present estimated debt of the farmers of Alberta was \$136,900,000, divided as follows:

Gas and oil, \$40,000,000; retail merchants, \$40,000,000; bank loans, \$40,000,000; mortgage companies, \$25,000,000; unpaid and overdue taxes, \$25,000,000, and machine companies, \$25,000,000.

Continuing on the financial side of the farm problem, the speaker declared that he had seen prices lower for farm products than they were at the present time, but had never seen the time when a dollar would buy less of the commodities which the farmer required to carry on his business.

"The farmers of Western Canada are not as pessimistic as they have been accused of being so often in recent months. They are just like the rest of the business men on this continent—they are in trouble, and are trying to find some practical way out of it. As a matter of

fact, I can say from my direct contact with the farmers in Alberta and Saskatchewan they are very optimistic. They don't mind being hauled out, dried out, blown out, or froze cut—they are prepared for all these things, but for the world to suddenly tell them that they no longer needed their wheat, or at least not all of it, came as a surprise," Mr. Bowlen declared.

"And if my memory serves me right, it was not only the farmer that believed in 1929 that wheat would go up. The grain trade and the Pool—I am a Pool member and thus have no axe to grind there—both thought the same thing as the rest of the business men," he continued.

The speaker then turned to the livestock situation. The morale of the ranchers in Alberta during the past few months had been saved only by the success of the British shipments, he declared. These had been so successful that careful consideration of the possibilities in this market for the future were more than justified.

Six reasons for the present low wheat prices, and while not so obvious to the farmers, should have, in 1929, been obvious to the grain trade who have representatives stationed in various parts of the world, Mr. Bowlen believed, were:

First, abnormally heavy world crop, and good crops in practically every country in the world in 1929; second, high tariffs raised by heavy importing countries in Europe, including France, Germany, Italy and Spain; third the use of gas tractors and the resulting increase in acreage planted in Canada, United States, Argentina, and Australia; fourth, the stock market crash, and decreased purchasing power of many individuals and nations; fifth, the scare caused by the world Pool rumor, and sixth, the entrance of Russia in the wheat producing ring of the world.

Regarding the latter, Mr. Bowlen stated: "And nobody can blame the Russians for selling wheat last year at the price offered on the world market. The consumers of the world knew and we should have known that they could get their bread cheaper by buying from the cheapest producer, and if Russia can produce it cheaper than anybody else, I say she is entitled to sell her commodity. England, for example, would be rather unwise to buy wheat requirements from the highest bidder, especially when she can't afford it."

## Local and General

Summerfallowing operations are well advanced in most parts of the district. The recent rain helped to improve conditions for this work.

Those big purple and blue beetles that have a fondness for caragana hedges and certain garden vegetables have made their appearance in two instances this spring, but were not in such huge flocks as in previous seasons. It is possible these were scouting parties for the host to follow later.

## Separate Cockerels And Pullets

There is one way whereby poultrymen insure their better rearing conditions for their pullets and that is by separating the cockerels from the rest of the brooding flocks as soon as sexes can be distinguished. This should be done at latest when the chicks are three or four weeks old.

The cockerels can be put in a separate colony house and raised there to broiler age, or they can be placed in

batteries and forced for rapid growth as broilers.

Separating the cockerels from the pullets gives each a better chance, thin out the flocks and relieve intensive growing conditions.—Cream Producer.

Eighteen countries have, so far, signified their intention of participating in the World's Grain Exhibition and Conference to be held at Regina in 1932, as follows: Italy, Peru, Yugoslavia, Guatemala, New Zealand, Czechoslovakia, the Netherlands, Belgium, Poland, Siam, India, Portugal, Switzerland, Estonia, the Philippines, Argentina, Spain, and New South Wales (Australia).

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# **Serious Problems Now Facing Agriculturists Of The West Considered At Ottawa Meeting**

Western Canadian agriculture is drifting into peasant proprietorship, the Canadian Political Science Association, in annual meeting at Ottawa, was told by Henry Spencer, M.P., in the discussions following several papers on agricultural problems.

A suggestion that diversified farming for the home market protected by tariffs, as against specialized production for the foreign market, was not received with approval by western economists who spoke. One Manitoba expert pointed out the water shortage, while others dealt with uncertain market conditions. It was stated that mortgage companies were faced with the problem of continuing farms thrown on their hands. They did not want to put in tenant farmers; they were financial, not agriculture concerns.

Mr. Spencer said the only way mixed farming in the west could expand was by guaranteed prices for the products. Butter in the west now sells 12 cents a pound, and eggs 9 cents a dozen.

Taxation of farm lands was also discussed. The farmer, it was said, paid more than his share of taxes; his wages were lowest of all and the only way out for some farmers seemed to be through the bankruptcy court.

G. G. Cook, M.P., said the only way out was a revision of the monetary system. He questioned whether it was wise to continue the gold standard. The banks might have to be generous enough to reduce interest rates from nine to four per cent.

Prof. MacIntosh, of Queen's University, declared the farmer's income would have to be raised and all the economists who took part in the discussion emphasized the need for research in the agricultural industry.

Mr. Cook thought there had perhaps been too much research in production and not enough in seeking to ensure a fair return to the farmer.

"The farmers of Canada are unwilling or unwillingly—providing cheap food for the rest of the country without paying wages to themselves comparable to wages in other industries. The artisan gets over a dollar an hour—the farmer, less than 25 cents an hour."

Prof. J. E. Latimer, of Macdonald College, thus informed the gathering. He declared this situation explained the lack of purchasing power and the slowness of collections which rendered the difficulties of the farming business.

The farmer and his family put in overtime, night work, Sunday work—but the recompense did not mean more than 22½ cents an hour. The yearly earnings of employees in agriculture amounted to only 35 per cent of the general average of earnings in manufacturing.

Prof. Latimer declared, however, that the present depression was not merely a post-war development. Among the factors he held to be involved were: increased commercialization of farming; greater specialization in the industry; greater use of machinery; local organization of the industry and the greater influence of violent fluctuations in the general price level on farming than on other industries.

Prof. R. W. Murchie, of Manitoba Agricultural College, discussed the sociological aspects of the agricultural problem and deplored the prevalence of quick sociologists and rural social uplifters.

Six standard text books on rural sociology, said "Thrill" characteristic of the rural people." Prof. Murchie contended the opportunity to spend was the test of thrift and the farmer had little money.

The fundamental sociological problem at present was the establishment of a truly scientific attitude toward rural social phenomena, he held.

## **Something To Be Proud Of**

Booker Washington's School For Negroes Has Proved Wonderful Success

It is just half a century since Booker T. Washington opened his new "normal" school in a tumble-down building at Tuskegee, Alabama, with the aid of \$2,000 voted by the Alabama Legislature. He began with thirty pupils. And the ideal he held before him was the establishment of the Negro as a responsible American citizen. Tuskegee has just celebrated this jubilee, and if Mr. Washington could have been on the scene he might well have taken pride in the growth of his foundation and its influence. The two-story schoolhouse has grown to a vast institution of some 132 buildings, with an endowment fund of over seven million dollars, which makes its future absolutely secure. Forty teachers are taught. Sixteen hundred pupils are accommodated. And in fifty years Tuskegee has proved to the world that the Negro can be a hard working and responsible citizen, if he is given fairplay and an equal chance.

## **Would Work In Canada**

Unemployment Insurance Advocated By Former Minister Of Labor

Unemployment insurance can be worked out to better advantage in Canada than in any other country, Hon. Peter Heenan, M.P., former minister of labor, declared in addressing an Ottawa service club. "We are already well on the way to adoption of such a scheme," he added.

Under an unemployment insurance scheme, Mr. Heenan asserted, every man participating would have to register, and by extending registration points, all men out of work could register. If positions could be found for them they could be sent to them. If not, any man did not want a job which had been found for him, he would not be allowed to further participate in the scheme.



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## **A Link With The Past**

Sole Survivor Of Palliser Expedition Of 1858 Is Dead In Alberta

Peter Erasmus, 97, sole survivor of the Palliser expedition of 1858, probably sole survivor of the historical Red River settlement in Manitoba, which was founded by Lord Selkirk and one of the province's most notable citizens as a result of his participation in Alberta's early history-making, is dead.

The aged man, extremely infirm and nearly blind in his latter years, died recently at Whitefish Lake, near Cold Lake.

Oldest employee on the Canadian civil service list, Peter Erasmus was still retained as assistant interpreter at a yearly salary of \$200 in recognition of his work in framing Indian treaties in the early days. He also was an Alberta old-age pensioner.

Erasmus was a resident in Alberta since 1855, with the exception of the time spent on the Palliser expedition, which sought and located a southern Alberta pass through the Canadian Rockies to the coast. It is known today as Kicking Horse Pass.

His father was a Dane, who had served in the British army, fought the battle of Waterloo and emigrated to Canada, entering the service of the Hudson's Bay Company. His mother was a French half-breed and Peter was the fourth of six children and as soon as he was old enough went to a school conducted by the Rev. Mr. West, Anglican minister, who was the first Protestant minister in the settlement.

## **The Age Of Youth**

Great Opportunity Now For Young Men Says Governor-General

"This is the age of youth," the Earl of Beasbrough, Governor-General of Canada, smilingly told graduating students of McGill University as he stood on the rostrum at convocation in the robes of a doctor conferred upon him. His Excellency was flanked by Vice-Chancellor Sir Arthur Currie.

One of the most remarkable changes in my own lifetime—and my generation has seen a great many changes—is the marked decrease in the average age of those holding positions of trust, in every walk of life. In the services, in the law, in politics, science and industry, young men and young women can now be found in posts of responsibility that, 30 years ago, were held exclusively by gray-beards.

## **Crop Yields Count**

Correct Methods Of Soil Management Are Essential

"In all branches of farming whether it be stock raising, grain growing, mixed farming, orcharding, or market gardening, the degree of success resulting therefrom will depend primarily on the crop yields obtained. While seasonal factors—rainfall and its distribution, temperature, etc.—have a determinative influence on yields, correct methods of soil management and the presence of available plant food are essential to maximum production," writes Dr. Frank T. Shult, M.A., D.Sc., in Department of Agriculture bulletin No. 145-N, "Manures and Fertilizers—Their Nature, Functions and Application." This bulletin treats concisely with all the important phases of the subject: farm manures, their nature, care and application; green manures, their value and function; commercial fertilizers, their plant food content and economical use; and soil amendments.

## **Two Ontario Cities Celebrate**

Kingston and Hamilton Have Passed Their Eighty-Fifth Birthday

Two of Ontario's finest cities have celebrated the eighty-fifth anniversary of their cityhood. Kingston was incorporated as a city on May 18, 1846; Hamilton on June 9 of the same year. It is being said of Kingston that it is "Ontario's oldest city." In the strict sense of cityhood, this is not the case, for Toronto was incorporated as a city on March 6, 1834, and in a few years will be a centenarian. But Kingston is much the older settlement. Although Bruce journeyed the Humber in 1615 and, standing on what is now Toronto soil, was the first white man to view Lake Ontario, first white man to view Lake Ontario, there was no trading post on the Toronto site until 1749, when the French established Fort Rouille. But Frontenac established Fort Frontenac at Cataraqui (now Kingston) in 1673.

## **Alberta Place-Names**

The first reference to coal in Alberta is contained in a map of Aaron Arrowsmith. It is that of Edgewood Creek, known today as Rosebud River. Concerning this stream Arrowsmith says "great quantity of coal in this creek."—Geographical Board of Canada.

San Marino is the oldest existing settlement. It has had 10 centuries of uninterrupted existence.

# **Canada Is Credited As The First Nation In Modern History To Take Census Of Inhabitants**

## **Research Is Yielding**

Interesting Result

Revenue May Be Derived From Refuse Screenings At Grain Elevators

New uses for surplus of wheat and other grains are being made the subject of an exhaustive survey by the National Research Council of Canada. Two researches initiated are already yielding interesting results. One of these is a study of the refuse screenings, largely waste of screenings, which accumulate at the grain elevators at the head of the Great Lakes to the extent of more than 50,000 tons a year. At present these screenings, if marketable at all, fetch almost nothing. The research is already indicating that they could be made to yield products—oil for soap-making, fertilizer and possibly feed—which would make them distinctly valuable.

In the other research a beginning has been made on the problem of the method of disposing of the total amount of straw grown in Canada each year aggregates about 100,000,000 tons, most of which is wasted. A careful study of the possibilities of using surplus grain for the manufacture of fur, alcohol, starch, dextrine, glucose, and other sugars, acids and lacquer solvents by means of fermentation, oils, etc., is being made. This includes a study not only of the technical but also of the economic aspects.

## **Canadian Buffalo For Holland Zoo**

Magnificent Pair Have Been Shipped From Wainwright To Rotterdam

A magnificent pair of Canadian buffalo, male and female, from the National Park at Wainwright, Alta., passed through Winnipeg a short time ago by Canadian National Railways freight en route via Montreal to Rotterdam, Holland, where they will be placed on exhibit in the Rotterdam Zoo. Extreme care was necessary in the shipping of these animals on account of their semi-wild condition, and they were loaded in individual crates in which they will be confined until they reach their destination.

## **Farmers Buy Poultry**

A new factor in the poultry output at the present time, as reported by the Poultry Division of the Dominion Life Stock Branch, is the extent to which farmers in many parts of Canada are now buying six, eight and ten week old pullet chicks. This unprecedented slaughter of laying fowl and pullets, which is still going on all over the Dominion, the demand for replacement stock which will come into production in October and November is increasing.

## **British Navy Keeps To Oil**

Efforts to induce the British Admiralty to assist the coal industry by recent action of the Admiralty to refuse to admit oil to coal fuel have failed. The meeting was voted down at a regular meeting in London, England, of the Admiralty and representatives of mining companies. It also was strongly urged that the coal industry should be helped by the development of the processes of distilling oil from coal.

An electrical plug to destroy flies has been invented. That should show them what's what?

Perhaps it may be rather an extreme claim that "Canada" should be credited with the distinction of being the first nation to take a census of its inhabitants, few of whom, at that day, were great enough to concern the doings of the actual government. But it appears to be undoubted that the French authorities in charge of the affairs of the colony, then known as "New France," for their own information and reasons did, in the year 1666, undertake a systematic registration of the then European inhabitants, each one being recorded by name. The compilation also stated the age, sex, place of residence, occupation and conjugal condition of each person according to the Brandon Sun. The original is extant in the archives of Paris, a transcript being available at Ottawa. It would be interesting to know just why this "census" was undertaken, certainly it is unlikely that its originator realized just how it had accomplished or how it would be regarded long after he had passed away.

This initial Canadian census, the Dominion was repeated several times during the French regime. After its disappearance a series of less than adequate censuses were taken by successive governors took its place. The first legislation on the subject was an act of the United Provinces, dated 1847. Under it a census of Upper and Lower Canada was taken in 1851 and again in 1861. Censuses of Nova Scotia and New Brunswick were taken in the same years. An account of these and of preceding investigations may be found in Volume IV, of the report of the census of 1871, a volume designed to start the new Dominion on its career with a review of all previous statistics relating to its domain. Comprehensive censuses under the act of Confederation have followed every tenth year, namely in 1881, 1891, 1901, 1911 and 1921.

## **Prizes For Remounts**

To Stimulate Interest In The Breeding Of Horses Of The Right Type

Major H. H. Robt. Weir, Federal Minister of Agriculture, has authorized the payment of monies totalling \$525 to owners of horses used by Canadian cavalry units during the 1931 training season to be distributed as prizes to be awarded on suitability of horses for army remount purposes. Each regiment will be allocated \$25 in prize money to be awarded in the form of a first prize of \$15 and a second of \$10, while a suitable ribbon will designate third placing. The object of these awards is to stimulate interest in the breeding of horses of a type which has been proven generally satisfactory for all-round purposes.

## **German Method Is Thorough**

The latest method of cleaning railroads is that used in Germany. The coach is run into a huge air-tight cylinder into which is pumped a strong disinfectant gas. The carriage remains in the gas long enough to allow it to penetrate every chink and corner, so that all harmful bacteria are killed.

## **Valuable Fish By-Products**

Of the various by-products of fish, including fish meal, fish oil, fertilizer, herring scales for pearl essence, poultry grit, glue, whalebone, the 1929 production value was \$5,100,000, according to the Fisheries News Bulletin.

## **Hindu From Manchester**

Secretary: Do you wish to see Abdullah Rajpura, the great Hindu clairvoyant, medium?

Visitor: "Aye, young man. Tell him it's his honey from Manchester."

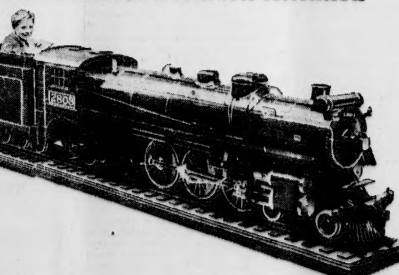
All the honey a bee gathers during its life doesn't sweeten its sting.

His slaver a bee gathers during its life doesn't sweeten its sting.

Merchant: "Do you know who I am?"

Son of Chauffeur: "Yes, you are the man daddy always takes out in his car?"—Karlstrom, Oslo.

# **Model Locomotive Attracts Attention**



The scale model engine, shown in the above picture, is an exact replica of one of the Canadian Pacific Railway's "2800" type fast passenger locomotives and attracted considerable attention at the model railway exhibition, recently held at Omaha, Nebraska, U.S.A. Built for the company, in England, the model is 14 feet long and weighs half a ton. It is constructed to the scale of 2 inches to one foot and is finished in correct C.P.R. colors. The young "engineer" in the picture seems to be enjoying his tenure of office and, doubtless, knows how to run the engine, which is a complete working machine, with all that is necessary to convey a realistic representation of its powerful original.



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#### Insurance Against Depression

A newspaper published on the Pacific Coast prints the following note received by it from a worker in lumber camps: "You need not worry about me. I have worked many years in the logging camps, saved my earnings. Now, during the depression, I am able to get along on three meals a day and a good place to sleep. I am a naturalized citizen. I will vote for the things that make my adopted country a better place to live in."

Commenting on this statement, a magazine writer says it would be difficult to condense the principles of sound economics and good citizenship into smaller space. Let us analyze it a bit. In the years when was plentiful this industrious workman labored and saved, for his common sense told him that fat years and lean years had alternated throughout the known history of man. They had in Egypt in the days of Joseph, when amid the scourgings of the masses he stored up grain during seven fat years as insurance against the succeeding seven lean years. Ordinary prudence told this Pacific Coast workman that in storing up from the surplus of the fat years he, too, would be able to meet the deficiency of the lean ones.

This workman had nothing but his labor to sell, so he sold it at a profit when the market was brisk and saved the profit to provide for his needs when the market should be dull. And "depression" finds him living comfortably and free from worry. He can afford to wait in philosophic patience for the sure advent of another period of fat years.

And, after all, who of us is really differently situated than this workman? What, in the final analysis, has any person to sell but his or her labor? And having sold that labor in times when it is in demand and well paid for, whether in wages, or profitable production from farms, or turnover in business, it surely is the sane and sensible policy, in fact the duty, of the laborer to "save" against the day when there comes a decline in demand for his services and a resultant decline or stoppage in current income or profit.

Everybody but the wholly imprudent and thoughtless insure themselves today against sickness, accident, death and old age. They insure their homes, businesses and belongings against possible loss by fire or other catastrophe. They regard these steps as not only wise, but a duty they owe to themselves and their families. In like manner, is it not the part of wisdom, and, in the fat years of earning power to "save" against the lean years which the whole history of man teaches us will inevitably come?

In all the volumes, and essays, and speeches, and editorials, and articles that have been written or spoken on economic topics, in all the speculations as to causes and cures of the present "depression," can any one find a surer specific for economic comfort and independence than that offered by this hard-headed, straight-thinking workman? Of the abundant fat years he lay up a store to bridge the shortage of the lean ones. It is simply the old, classic preventive of industry and Thrift properly balanced. And whenever it has been applied it has worked.

#### Inter-Provincial Traffic Council

##### Saskatoon Board Of Trade Votes Opposition To Proposed Plan

Opposition to the proposed plan for inter-provincial traffic council was expressed at an executive meeting of the Saskatoon Board of Trade. The opinion was expressed that it would not be in the best interests of Saskatchewan and Saskatchewan to enter this association.

It was stated that Saskatchewan was in a peculiar position in connection with freight and express rates, and that at present there was a Saskatchewan traffic council, which was functioning in a satisfactory manner. J. M. Stevenson, K.C., said Manitoba and Alberta were in far more favorable situation as regards rates than this province. The one had the rate from Vancouver, while the other had the special rate from the head of the lakes.

He said that owing to the geographical situation of the province, sandwiched between two provinces which enjoyed special facilities, it would militate against Saskatchewan receiving concessions. He said that if a move were made for a reduction in rates for Saskatchewan, the other provinces, if the association were formed, would oppose any concession which would give Saskatchewan any benefit.

He also expressed the opinion that Manitoba and Alberta should proceed to organize traffic councils to operate separately and that joint action could be taken on specific problems where there was common ground.

A safe and sure medicine for a child troubled with worms is Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator.

Winipeg Building Permits  
Winipeg building permits for the month of April total \$1,049,350, as compared with \$859,197 for April 1930. The total of building permits for Greater Winipeg to date show an increase of \$60,000 over 1930.

Canada's Automobile Output Is Higher  
At End Of April Production Showed Substantial Increase

Automobile production shot upward in Canada during April. With a total output of 17,109 cars, the daily average of 472 cars was 17 per cent. higher than in March, although only about one-half the average during April 1930.

The index number of production computed by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics, which started the new year at 60 per cent. below normal, was at the end of April only 26 per cent. below normal.

Believed In Advertising  
Over in England, in the village cemetery of Dagenham, Essex, stands a tombstone on which this bit of advertising copy appears:

"Here lies John Steere, who when living brewed good beer. Turn to the right, go down the hill, his son keeps up the business still."

A New Field For The Alpine  
The great attraction of Jasper National Park in Alberta to alpine climbers is no doubt the opportunity it affords for first ascent. There are many important peaks still unconquered and even unnamed and whole regions waiting to be explored.

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#### Credit Goes To Weir

##### Has Made It Possible To Retain Federal Tree Nurseries

The federal tree nurseries at Indian Head and Subiaco, Saskatchewan, from where trees have been distributed to prairie farmers free of charge, are to be carried on by the federal government. This service was cut out of the estimates tabled in parliament six weeks ago, and would have been completely abandoned on July 31, had the government not reconsidered the matter and reversed its first decision.

Not an additional dollar is to be voted for their upkeep, but Mr. Weir will cut down on other expenses within his department to obtain the funds necessary for the work. The decision, favorable to the nurseries, was reached only after Mr. Weir had put the matter before Mr. Bennett on two occasions. On the first he was refused, on the second he obtained Mr. Bennett's consent. The announcement followed a question put to the government by Hon. W. H. Motherwell.—By Grant Dexter.

#### Probe Wheat Board

##### Will Investigate Sale Of Grain By Wheat Board Of 1917 and 1918

The standing committee on agriculture will, in addition to its other duties, examine into the documents brought down in the House of Commons recently in connection with the 11-years' old correspondence between Robert Whitehead, farmer, of Hilly, Sask., and Sir George E. Foster, when the latter was Minister of Trade and Commerce. The correspondence deals with Mr. Whitehead's complaint respecting the sale by the wheat board of the grain crops of 1917 and 1918. In these letters Mr. Whitehead expressed the current belief among the western farmers that the government had made a large sum of money from the sale of the crops.

On a motion of Hon. H. H. Stevens, Minister of Trade and Commerce, authority was given to the agricultural committee to enquire into this.

#### Recipes For This Week

##### (By Betty Barclay)

Dainty, delicious and healthful desserts do not necessarily call for a great expenditure of money. Here are two inexpensive dishes that will please the most fastidious.

##### FIG AND RICE CRODIE

1 cup rice.  
2 cups milk.  
1 cup sugar.  
1 teaspoon salt.  
1 egg.  
4 figs.

Cook rice, milk, sugar and salt in double-boiled water. When tender, beaten egg and chopped figs. Remove from fire and flavor. Turn into small moulds. Have been buttered and dredged in sugar. Set away in warm place until firm. Chill. Unmould when ready to serve, surrounded with apricot sauce, garnished with whipped cream topped with a fig.

##### BREAKFAST COCKTAIL

##### (Serves 1)

1 egg yolk.  
2 oranges, juice of.  
Pinch of salt.  
1 teaspoon honey or sugar to taste.

Beat together and drink every morning.

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##### New Catapult Tested

With a deafening roar of compressed-air motors developing 4,000 horsepower, which were utilized to give a sudden pull on a long tow rope, one of Great Britain's largest bombing planes, weighing almost nine tons, was literally hurled into the air in the space of a few yards at Farnborough Experimental Air Field. The new catapult will enable long-distance planes, heavily laden with bombs, to rise from small aerodromes or from the decks of naval carriers.

##### Uniform Signs For Europe

Roadside warning signs in all Europe will be uniform if the committee accept the system adopted at the European Conference on Road Traffic which recently met at Geneva. Danger signs will be triangular, stop signs circular, and information signs rectangular. Should all the countries adopt it the change will mean the scrapping of thousands of signs now in use.

#### Made Interesting Flight

##### Professor Believes It Will Revolutionize Theories About Stratosphere

The London Daily Express, in a telephone interview with Professor Auguste Piccard, "stratosphere" balloonist, quotes him as saying that the results of his flight "are likely to revolutionize all previous theories concerning the stratosphere."

"The flight proved that the stratosphere is navigable," the Professor is quoted as having said, "and that man with modern technical methods will be able to master its low pressure and its cold."

Recovered from their previous thrust into the upper reaches of the sky, Dr. Auguste Piccard has started compiling his scientific data, while Charles Kipfer, his assistant, took a three-hour climb to recover their balloon from the glacier in which it came to rest.

Dr. Piccard said, in conversation with Austrian newspapers, that the stratosphere, which he claimed to have penetrated in an ascent of more than 50,000 feet, was the only practically element for long distance aviation.

"This can be done, however," he said, "if the cabins are as airtight as our gondola was."

Information received at Innsbruck, Austria, that Dr. Piccard and his companion, Charles Kipfer, suffered greatly from thirst during their balloon flight into the stratosphere.

They were forced to scrape the frozen moisture from their breath off the walls of the aluminum cage, the report said, and to melt and drink it. "The fact that we carried a double supply of oxygen saved our lives," he said. "On landing we found there was left only sufficient for one hour more."

**A Remedy For Earache.**—To have the earache is to endure torture. The ear is a delicate organ and few of us deal with it, considering it work of a doctor. Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil offers a simple remedy. A few drops upon a piece of lint or medicated cotton and placed in the ear will do much to relieve pain.

#### Believes Jazz Age Dying

F. Scott Fitzgerald, the novelist who gave the jazz age its name and "discovered" the flapper, believes that the age of jazz has ended, according to a letter received from him by his publishers, Scribners. Fitzgerald said the jazz age lasted ten years from the suppression of the May Day riots in 1919 to the stock market crash in 1929.

The hippopotamus is one of the largest animals, often weighing three or more tons.

**Felt Tired Out All Day Could Not Sleep at Night**

Mr. Adamson Lalonde, 2481 St. James St., Montreal, Que., writes:—"After a spell of the flu, I felt very tired all day and tired out at night, and could not sleep at night. I was also troubled with my heart and did not feel at all like working. I was told about Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills and after four bottles I was completely relieved of my trouble, and can recommend your pills to all who are troubled with heart and nerve trouble."

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just the sort of thing that would tempt a tramp like Nick. I don't read the letter yet, but I gather he thought he ought not lose the chance. He said they'd drop him somewhere along a month from now, down Cuba way, where he could get back home. Well, all I get to say is, I hope to God he gets here all right. The sooner the better."

His eyes lifted from the yellow ribbon, to Halliday's face, but the younger man had glanced away.

"Did he say whose yacht they were to go to?"

"I say it belonged to some folks that was victim' your wife last summer. She didn't mention the name."

Halliday looked thoughtful.

"Have they started yet?"

"I left Jamaica, I mean."

"She says they mustn't have gone yesterday, or the day before."

"If she needs him could we send a wireless?"

"We don't know the name of the yacht. Gay thinks maybe another letter'll come mailed before they get away. This one was written a week ago."

"Then we must wait. I—I'm sorry that Mrs. Halliday was in any way to blame, but with Hastings gone, I don't wish to go."

"I wish so too, God darn it! I'd half a mind to tell the boy myself, before he goes, but I can't make up my mind. Mr. Halliday, and I thought likely Gay knew her own business. She was 'knacker' of what was best for Nick, like always does. Here she comes now. Don't let me in been tricky, or that you see she's been crying, she won't cry now, but she'll be well, and had not of made up her mind he'd be here most any time now."

Gay yawned to them cheerfully, but sat down on the porch and took up her sewing. Halliday was silent for a moment, but he said quietly:

"When is her baby coming, Mr. Bartlett?"

"Not till long the first of September, Oh, Nick'll be back; only she wants him now, and seems like she ought to have him. Still, the month'll go pretty quick now, warmer days, spring's tryin' to make up for the weather we got last winter. You let me know if you hear anything, Mr. Halliday. I hope you'll get more definite word than what Gay says."

James Halliday nodded, even while he promised to tell Simon at once should anything enlightening come his way. Angela's letter, written the day Nick's was, but as usual too late to catch the boat, arrived four days later in the mail that brought another to Gay. Angela wrote:

Just a line to let you know that I'm as excited as a kid at his first Christmas. The yacht, "Sea Bird," is a beauty—eighty feet, long—white paint—brass rail—mahogany trimmings, and all the fixings you read about in fiction. The party consists of Mr. and Mrs. Meyer whom we met last summer, the little girl, a sporty-looking old cove named Nowell they picked him up at the Titchfield Islands, Mrs. Halliday, and myself. Honestly, Gay, save for Mrs. Halliday and her little girl, it's not a very congenial-looking crowd. But I shan't let it's plain to people I'm after."

Talk about "the ends of the earth!" We're to cruise among the Bahamas Islands—the outer Bahamas, many of them uninhabited. Send your letter to Nassau, not Havana. They've decided to drop us there instead, where I can catch the Royal Mail for New York. I'll wire on landing, but this is probably the last letter you will have. Think what a whole of a lot we'll have to talk about! And how I wish you were going too."

Five weeks later, or a morning Gay was wondering if her letter came would come that day, as indeed, she had been wondering for the last week, Benny appeared at breakfast and handed her the morning paper. She opened it idly, waiting for Uncle Sim to come in from the garden, before she poured his coffee. Benny ran out to call him, and baby Nick was busy with his oatmeal.

The room was very still. The rumble of the newspaper as Gay spread it open was the only sound, until the

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**Canadian Citizenship**

**Bill Before Commons Sets Fourth Qualifications For Canadian Nationality**

Second reading was given in the House of Commons to the government bill to define Canadian nationals and to provide for loss or renunciation of Canadian nationality. Sponsored by Hon. C. H. Cahan, secretary of state, the bill sets forth definitely the qualifications for Canadian nationality, and also provides whereby a national of Canada may lose or renounce his nationality. Mr. Cahan in presenting the bill, said that the government was anxious to make the bill more definite, and that it would be necessary to make amendments to the Immigration Act. As the law now stands, Mr. Cahan said, it was left Canada for a trip, and was delayed over a year, had to make his way into this country in the same manner as an immigrant from Siberia or Turkistan. Missionaries who would enter and pursue their calling were away a considerable period, and sometimes brought up families in a foreign country, could not claim Canadian nationality for their children.

**Prince Albert National Park**

**Improvements To Be Made This Year In Saskatchewan Playground**

Troning out of bad curves on the gravelly highway in Prince Albert National Park, gravelling the five miles of road to the Narrows graded last year, closing of the main thoroughfare at Waskia Lake, and the maintenance work on the gravelled road in the park—these are the items decided upon to be done in the 1931 program of the National Park system, according to P. Shaw, engineer in charge of this branch's activities in the Saskatchewan playground. A commencing has already been made, a number of miles of highway having been regavelled.

Miller's Worm Powders are complete in themselves. They not only drive worms from the system, but repair the damage that worms cause and so invigorate the constitution that it speedily recovers from the disorder of the digestion that are the result of the work of these parasitic intruders. They do their work thoroughly and strength and soundness follow their use.

**Hopes To Become Fire Chief**

With the hope of eventually becoming chief of a fire brigade in Calcutta, India, a young Indian has joined the fire department of Birmingham, England. He is Sushil Chandra, the Gupta, and is 24 years old. Calcutta has 700 fire brigades, and the native brigades are offered by Europeans, but the dusty youth believes there is a future for native officers.

The word Canada is said to be derived from the Iroquois word Kanata, a collection of huts.

**NEURALGIA**

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**"KING OF PAIN"**

**Dominion Wide Meeting**

**Saskatoon City Council Favors a Get-Together Gathering To Discuss Unemployment**

Dominion-wide conference on unemployment, called by federal authorities to consider the present situation and possible remedies, was approved by the city council of Saskatoon. The motion was suggested by Ald. A. M. Eddy.

There was no doubt in his mind, Ald. Eddy said, that such a conference could do much toward overcoming the present situation. Officials of cities and towns throughout the whole of the Dominion were dealing with their local unemployment problems, and many might be in a position to contribute ideas or plans which would work for improvement, he said.

Desirability of a conference to consider the unemployment question was also suggested by Alderman R. M. Pinder. Some solution, he believed, could be worked out. At present the various bodies, including municipal, provincial and Dominion, sat back and kept "passing the buck" without any permanent improvement being effected in the situation.

The Dominion Government will continue to give relief to the municipalities on the one-third basis, according to the terms of the 1925 agreement, Minister of Labor. At present one-third of the cost of direct relief administered here is provided by the Dominion, one-third by the province and the remainder by the city.

In his letter the minister stated it was also the intention of the government to work out a program of work programmes now under way. Work unadministered in Saskatchewan totalled 109,249 man days.

**THE RHYMING OPTIMIST**

By Aline Michaelis

WITHIN

(By Aline Michaelis)

What is the cause of your unhappiness?  
Who has decreed your Loss or your gain?  
Why are days shadowed?  
Why are days bright?  
Whence came your portion  
Grief or delight?

Questions keep whetting  
Up in your heart;  
Why do you cherish  
Treasures depart?

Still is the answer  
As it has been:  
Still good or evil  
Comes from within.  
From your own  
Flower or weed.  
Yours is the thought that  
Planted the seed.

**For National Park**

**Movement On Foot For Establishment Of National Park In Southern Saskatchewan**

Definite action will be taken by the tourist committees of the Regina young men's body and of the establishment of a national park for the southern part of Saskatchewan. The proposed park will be situated north of Carlyle, in the Carlyle and Fish Lake district.

A resolution was passed by the young men's body asking that the district be turned into a national park. The resolution will be brought before the council of the board of trade, and if passed by that body, will be sent to the Federal Government and representations made for establishment of the park.

**New Species Of Blueberry**

A new species of blueberry, from the experimental farm at Ottawa has been tried out on the Sandilands Forest Reserve just east of Winnipeg. The berry is claimed to be as big as a marble and soil tests taken from the district show that it should thrive.

**The Man With Asthma**

Almost long for death to end his suffering. He had seen only years of endless torment with intervals of relief. He was himself, however, not a sufferer. He was himself, however, not a sufferer. He was himself, however, not a sufferer.

**Don't Gamble With Health**

**ENO'S FRUIT SALT**

We all know health demands absolute inner cleanliness. But what we often don't realize is the risk we take when we use harsh, irritating purgatives. They create a strained, unnatural condition.

ENO is pleasant, gentle, safe and sure.

A daily dash of ENO'S "Fruit Salt" in a glass of water, morning or night, loosens up and sweetens the entire system. Acid stomach, fatigue, biliousness, quickly disappear.

**Cruiser Launched Nameless**

**German Battleship Slides Down Ways Before Being Christened**

Germany's first "pocket battleship," known as the Ersatz Preussen while under construction at Kiel, launched herself, sliding down the ways six minutes ahead of schedule while Chancellor Brüning was still far from the end of his christening address and before President von Hindenburg could name a champagne toast against the warship's bow.

Sixty thousand looked on in astonished silence, forgetting to cheer until just as the bow settled into the water.

"Deutschland be thy name!" President von Hindenburg called after the rapidly receding ship while the champagne bottle dangled aimlessly in the air before the christening stand for a few seconds and then fell to the ground, unsmashed.

Investigation has not yet determined whether one wire of the cables holding the ship fast parted or some one gave the signal to release the last shock too soon. Naturally, much unkindness exists among Kiel sailor folk over what is technically an unchristened ship.

**Douglas' Egyptian Liniment Is especially recommended for spider, or scorpion, bites, and for all insect bites, as in cases of spavins, curbs and splits.**

**President Of U.S. Law Body**

Charles Evans Hughes, chief justice of the United States, was elected honorary president of the American branch of the International Law Association at the annual meeting held in New York.

**Watch Working**

Mary Gaden quit grand opera and announced that she is going to tour Canada on a mule. This is going to be worth watching. If there is a creature on earth more temperamental than a coloratura soprano, it is a Cornish mule.

**REMNANTS**

REMNANTS—3 lbs. Prints, \$1.00; 2 lbs. Silk, Velvet or Cretonne, \$1.00. Agents, dealers wanted. A. McCrory Co., Chatham, Ontario.

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**ENAMELED WARE**

A laboratory has been built underground at the United States Bureau of Standards, where finely accurate optical lenses can be ground with least interference from dust and vibration.

**Little Helps For This Week**

"Therefore, my beloved brethren, be ye steadfast, unmovable, always abounding in the work of the Lord, forasmuch as ye know that your labour is not in vain in the Lord." — 1 Corinthians xv. 58.

Though scoffers ask where is your God.

And mocking say your work is vain, such scoffers die snar and fangs.

Work done for God, it dieth not.

Press on! press on! no doubt not fear.

From age to age this voice shall last.

Whatever may die and be forgot, Work done for God, it dieth not.

When men do anything for God the very least thing, they never know where it will end. The work of work it will do for Him. Love's secret therefore is to be always doing things for God, and not to mind because they are very little ones.

—Frederick William Faber







## CHAMPION CHATTER

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"But surely," urged Johnson, "seeing is believing."  
"Not necessarily," replied Clever. "For instance I see you every day."

There are sixty-two ball and roller bearings in the Mc-Dee harvester-thresher including the idler rollers for tightening the chains. These bearings are of the self-aligning type. No bearings are attached to the sheet metal siding but all machine bearings are supported by frame members or by brackets attached to the frame. The main wheels and front wheels are equipped with suitable end thrust bearing which take care of the side thrust as well as the radial load. The cylinder is equipped with high-grade ball bearings.

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Mother: "Yes, dear."

Small Girl: "And if I do not get married, will I be an old maid like Aunt Susan?"

Mother: "Yes, dear."

Small Girl: "Well, I am in a fix."

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LOW WEEK-END FARES  
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R. Knox, who will be remembered in baseball circles here, was a visitor to his brother, Lorne Knox, during the week. Bob has been in the States, and while times have been bad there has been prosperous.

Canada's exports of cod liver oil, which is especially valuable from the health standpoint because of its high vitamin content, totalled 172,423 gallons in 1930, an increase of almost 3,000 gallons over the 1929 figures. The United States was the chief buyer.

It is a matter of regret the bonus of five cents per bushel for wheat marketed was accompanied by new taxes which negated the benefit almost, if not completely. Under any conditions, however, it means five cents more per bushel than would otherwise have been realized—although doubts are expressed in some quarters as to whether the farmer will get the five cents if he don't watch out.



Above is the subject of Fred Clever's dreams these days, although Chauteau put a little crimp in his plans. Naturally Wall Lake is the scene. Art Jopling has also designs on this same Lake, but with the increased work cheap kerosene will make he may not be able to leave town.

### Everyone Was Satisfied

A railway official is fond of telling how, when waiting for a connection at a junction station he walked into the town and saw a big fish funeral. He asked a passerby who the deceased

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was, and was told a prominent railway official had died suddenly.

"What was the complaint?" he queried.

"Oh, no complaint," came the ready answer. "Everybody is perfectly satisfied."

### Stavely Wins

Ball Tournament

Stavely won the baseball tournament held in that town on Wednesday, defeating Valsan 40 and Carmangay 12 3

### Here's a Real True Fish Story

Spence Withrow vouches for the fact that he saw a pike 45 inches long and weighing over 25 lbs. caught in the ditch in the vicinity of the Goose Ranch on Wednesday afternoon. Next!

Spence also says this fish had a belly bigger than Clal. Matlock's it broke the fisher's pole in three places and he had to go in the ditch finally and catch the fish with his hands.

## Local and General

Dr. and Mrs. Heil were visitors to Lethbridge the first of week.

Lyman Jopling of Calgary was a visitor in town over the week end.

Miss Helen Bozarth is home from the Holy Cross hospital on holidays.

A truck license plate, No. 10, 236 has been left at this office, where the owner may recover it.

B. M. Roberts continues to make steady progress and is able to be out and around the city.

The stucco work on the front of the bakery building makes a decided improvement in appearance.

Heavy rain fell south and east of Champion on Tuesday evening, while in town there was a smart shower.

Fires in the vicinity of Edson and other points north provided a decidedly smoky atmosphere here for a day or two.

Mrs. Williamson and Miss Ada were visitors in Calgary over the week end. The guests of Mr. and Mrs. Nels Anderson.

K.R. McLean, R.O. of McLean & Anderson, Sight Specialist 224-8th Ave West, Calgary will make his monthly visit to Champion Friday June 26th, at the Drug Store.

The trout fishing season opens on June 15th, and already local enthusiasts are preparing for excursions to the mountains, and licking their lips in anticipation.

It is stated that J. M. Roebuck has been appointed manager of the Parco Oil Co. at Milk River, and with Mrs. Roebuck is moving to that point from Magrath, where he has resided for some time.

Rev. Peter Dawson is to be commended on the improved appearance of the church and parsonage premises. While a lot of work was involved the results obtained were eminently satisfactory.

The Chauteau manager Miss Williams lined up the younger set for a street parade on Saturday afternoon and the most representative costumes got prizes which were presented to them on Monday night between acts. The girls prize went to Ruth Jopling and the boys to Ray Milliken. The costumes were very attractive.

Industry need not wish, and he that lives upon hope will die fasting.—Franklin.

Inspectors were through the district this week looking over and banding trucky flocks.

Mrs. U. G. Anderson returned from a week's visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Boose, Kirkaldy.

G. M. Campbell and F. V. Sisson took in the wrestling match between Taylor and Freberg at Calgary on June 5, and state it was well worth the trip to see the big grapplers in action.

George Hargreaves won the Chauteau ticket for boys given for finding the most words from the letters contained in the words "Canadian Chauteau." The girl's prize was won by Barbara Bastin.

Mr. and Mrs. U. S. Alexander are spending the week in Edmonton, where Mr. Alexander will attend the convention of the secretaries of Municipal Districts. The municipal office was closed in consequence during his absence.

All those who have not paid their tennis fees, kindly see that this is done before the first of the week, as the club wishes to pay all the outstanding accounts before the first of the month. Fees, gentlemen \$2.00, ladies \$1.00, schoolchildren 50¢.

Caviar, or prepared sturgeon roe, is one of the annual products of Canada's fishing industry, although the output is never very large. The chief production of caviar is in Ontario, where the largest catches of sturgeon are made.



DR. T. ELWOOD BAILEY

Whose lecture "Full Speed Ahead," delivered on Wednesday evening, was one of the high lights of Chauteau.